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## Skin-Tortured Babies AND TIRED MOTHERS Find Comfort in Cuticura

INSTANT RELIEF and refreshing sleep for Skin-tortured Babies and rest for Tired Mothers in warm baths with Cuticura Soap, and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, the great skin cure and purifier of emollients, to be followed in severe cases by mild doses of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, to cool and cleanse the blood. This is the purest, sweetest, most speedy, permanent, and economical treatment for torturing, disfiguring, itching, burning, bleeding, scaly, crusty, and pimply humours, eczema, rashes, irritations, and itchings, with loss of hair, of infants and children, yet compounded.

## MILLIONS USE CUTICURA SOAP

Assisted by CUTICURA OINTMENT, for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, for cleansing the scalp, scales, and dandruff, and the stopping of falling hair, for softening, whitening, and soothing red, rough, and sore hands, for baby rashes, itchings, and chaffs, in the form of baths for annoying irritations and inflammations, or too free or offensive perspiration, in the form of washes for ulcerative weaknesses, and for many sensitive, antiseptic purposes which readily suggest themselves to women, especially mothers, and for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. No other medicated soap ever compounded is to be compared with it for preserving, purifying, and beautifying the skin, scalp, hair, and hands. No other foreign or domestic toilet soap, however expensive, is to be compared with it for all the purposes of the toilet, bath, and nursery. Thus it combines in ONE SOAP at ONE PRICE, the best skin and complexion soap, and the best toilet and nursery soap in the world.

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Club possesses two amateurs of more than ordinary strength, and now that Mr H. E. Pollock has returned a third has been added to the list. Mr Pollock has held the title of Champion of Hongkong on several occasions, and as President-elect of the Club we hope to see him again in Championship form, making an effort to regain his own Cup, which has been held by Mr P. W. Sergeant since January, 1901.

In the great match by correspondence of 254 pairs of games between the States of Pennsylvania and New York, the score at the end of the 380th completed game was in favour of Pennsylvania by 192½ points to 173½. The *Brooklyn Daily Eagle* states that the teams included about half-a-dozen women players, one of whom was Miss Eva Brenzinger of New Brighton, Staten Island, daughter of a well-known member of the Staten Island Chess Club. Miss Brenzinger was paired with Mr J. H. Sargent, junior, and she managed to score two wins for New York. Of the two wins, one was a spirited example of the Evans Gambit declined, in which Miss Brenzinger had the white pieces. The score was as follows:—

White.	Black.
1 P-K4	P-K4
2 Kt-KB3	Kt-KB3
3 B-B4	B-B4
4 P-QKt4	P-K4
5 P-K4	Kt-KB3
6 Kt-P4	P-K4
7 P-Q4	P-Q3
8 B-Kt	P-K4
9 BxPch	K-K2
10 Q-Kt-B3	P-K4
11 Q-B3	K-K2
12 BxB	K-K2
13 Q-B5ch	K-K2
14 PxPch	K-K2
15 B-Q4ch	K-K2
16 B-Q4ch	K-K2
17 Q-B3	K-K2

And Miss Brenzinger announced mate in seven moves.

(6) 1. Q-Kt4 is usually played.

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NOTHING is more distressing than to see a helpless little infant suffering with a cough, and to be fearful of using a remedy which may contain some harmful ingredient. The makers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy positively guarantee that this preparation does not contain opium in any form, or any other harmful substance. Mothers may confidently give this remedy to their little ones. It gives prompt relief and is perfectly safe. It always cures and cures quickly. For sale by All Dealers; WATKINS Ltd., General Agents.

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A woman that is well, in perfect health, is a rarity. The majority of women have some ailment—some disorder of which to complain. They are weak, "all-fired-out," "broken down," the roses have vanished from their cheeks, the smile from their lips, they are peaked, pale and puny. "The rubly lips are purplish or blanchet, the sparkling eyes are dimmed and the bewitching charms of youth are faded. This all due to ill-health. Why women should be so unwell, space will not permit of discussion here. But it is a fact. Their systems are debilitated, all run-down and need toning up. The stimulating effects of a tonic and tissue builder are required.

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STEAM LAUNDRY MACHINERY, MARINE SCREW ENGINES, BOILER TUBES, DRIVING ENGINES, LATHES, WINDSAILS, CRANES, WINCHES, FIRE ENGINES, STEEL BOILER, STEAM STEERING GEAR, STEAM HAMMERS, ONE MERRYWEATHER'S PATENT STEAM FIRE ENGINE, DONKEY PUMPS, HYDRAULIC BALING PRESS, 8 HYDRAULIC JACKS (new) from 6 to 20 tons PARKER'S PARALLEL VICES, ONE STEAM SCREWING MACHINE, FOUR NEW CAPSTANS, ONE SET PLATE BEARING ROLLERS, &c., &c., &c.

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#### Intimations.

##### ST. GEORGE'S BALL.

IT is proposed to hold a St. George's Ball on the 6th January next, if sufficient subscribers can be obtained; the subscription to be 25s each. Englishmen desirous of joining are requested to sign the subscription lists within two weeks of date, and if sufficient names be obtained, a meeting will be held to elect a Committee to make further arrangements. His Honour The Chief Justice has been elected President.

Lists will be found at the Hongkong Club, Messrs Kelly & Walsh, Messrs A. S. Watson, Messrs Falconer & Co., Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co., and Messrs Caldwell Macgregor & Co.

E. W. MITCHELL,  
Hon. Secretary,  
Provisional Committee.  
Hongkong, October 31, 1902. 2223

##### THE PUNJON MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, 13 BEACONSFIELD ARCADE, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 11th NOVEMBER, 1902, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of considering, and if thought fit, passing, the following Special Resolution:—

1. That the Capital of the Company be increased by the creation and issue of 60,000 New Ordinary Shares of \$11 each, with the sum of \$10 paid up on each, and that the Directors be and they are authorized to accept surrenders of the present 60,000 Ordinary Shares of the Company of \$10 each on which the sum of \$10 each has been paid up, and that one New Share of \$11, with the sum of \$10 paid up thereon, be given in lieu of and in exchange for each old share of \$10 fully paid up, and that thereupon the said old shares be cancelled.
2. That of the remaining \$1 payable in respect of each of the New Shares, the sum of 50 cents be paid on the surrender of the old share, and that the remainder be called up (if necessary) and paid at such times and in such instalments as the Board may determine.

Should the above Special Resolution be passed by the requisite majority of Shareholders it will be submitted for confirmation to a second Extraordinary General Meeting to be subsequently convened.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
W. KERFOOT HUGHES,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, October 25, 1902. 2188

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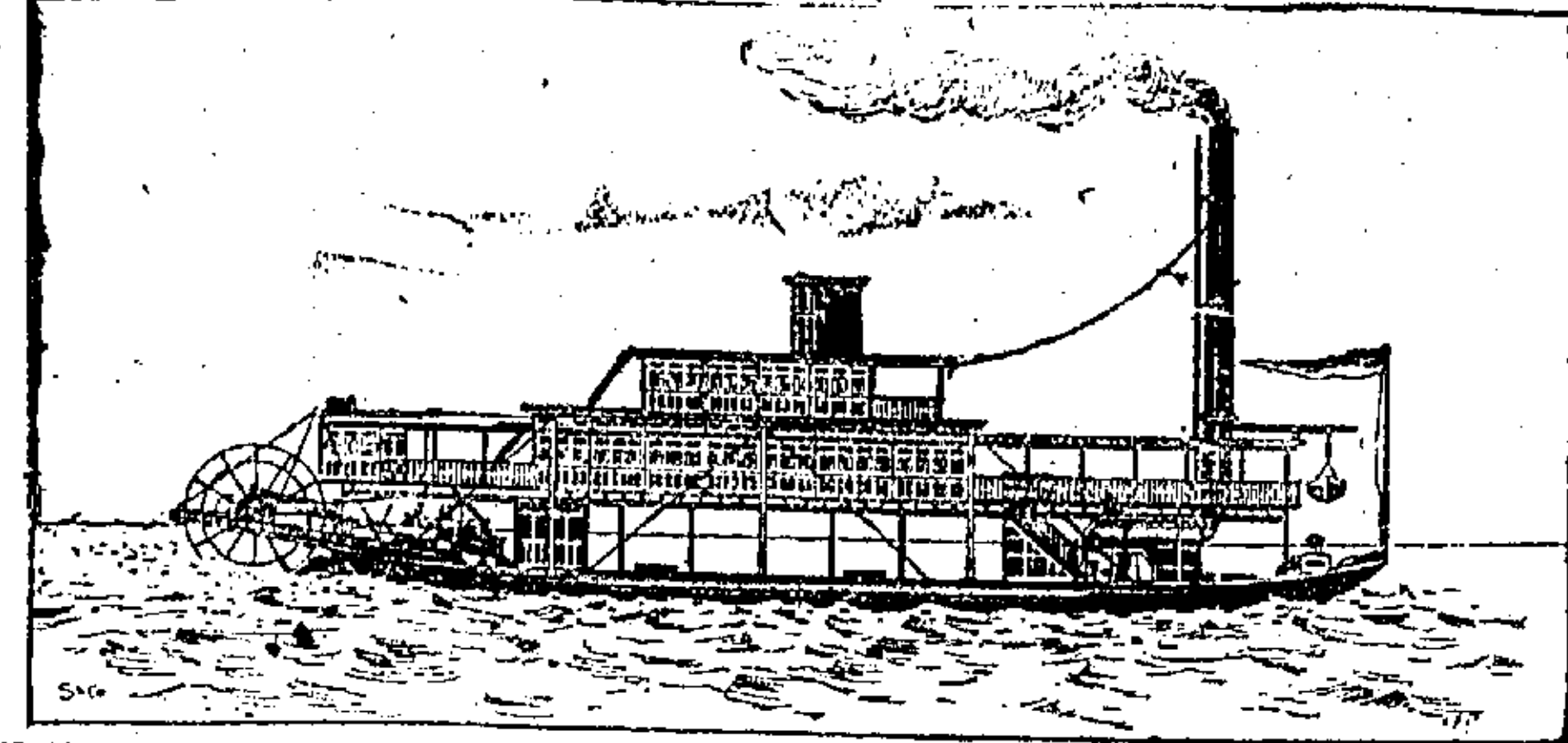
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**General Memoranda.**  
WEDNESDAY, November 5:—  
Noon. - Auction of Two Steam Launches,  
*Evening Star* and *Rising Star*, at the  
"Star" Ferry Company's Wharf, Hong-  
kong.

THURSDAY, November 6:—  
Noon. - Auction of 20 Columbia and  
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etc., at No. 16, Praya Central.

MONDAY, November 10:—  
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date subject to rent.

TUESDAY, November 11:—  
Noon. - Extraordinary Meeting of Share-  
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**BIRTH.**  
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Son.

The publication of this issue commenced  
at 5.45 p.m.

**The China Mail.**

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1902.

THE heroes and heroines dear to the  
heart of modern novelists are as differ-  
ent to those of fifty years ago as modern  
battleships and top hats differ from  
bygone types. Not so long ago,  
Dickens was not ashamed to penetrate  
the slums of London, and introduce us  
to Nancy and Bill Sykes; George Eliot  
gained access for us to the middle-class  
society of Mudport, and entertained us  
with the loves of the banker's son and  
the miller's daughter; Thomas Hardy  
has not hesitated to paint for us such  
rustic experiences as pigkilling and  
turnip cutting. The great novelists of  
the day, however, seem to give such  
characters a wide berth, or, if they  
make their acquaintance, it is but a  
very cold one. Their heroes are kings,  
prime ministers, bishops and other  
illustrious personages, who are supposed  
to be fit acquaintances for sovereigns  
and ecclesiastical potentates. One may  
refer to Hall Caine's *Eternal City*. To-  
day, tens of thousands of people are  
watching with great interest the activi-  
ties of the remarkable characters whose  
words and deeds crowd the pages of  
*Temporal Power*. One may say at once  
that this is a very powerful book, and  
will no doubt make an impression on the  
minds of the young. It contains all the  
peculiarities of the authoress's style.  
There is the same exuberance of lan-  
guage. There is an almost prodigious  
wealth in the scenic delineations, and yet  
the reader would feel that, were the ad-  
jectives omitted, the full effect would be  
slightly marred. It may be safely  
affirmed that no reader who is interested  
in the problems of the hour—monarchy,  
ecclesiastical domination, education, and  
socialism—whether he agrees with the  
gifted authoress or not, will leave the  
book unfinished, nor will he turn the  
pages listlessly over "to see how it will  
end." He will read on, not so much for  
the plot, as one might read the *Double  
Threat*, but rather to see what the  
actors will do and the speakers will say  
in regard to the great questions that  
pass under review. The book is written  
with a purpose, and deals with weighty  
problems. The authoress pours forth  
her fiery words upon her aversions.  
Her denunciations fall like burning  
stones and lava streams from the open  
throat of an enraged volcano.

The authoress has, we venture to  
think, shown a remarkable daring in  
introducing on her stage certain char-  
acters. The following quota-  
tions will illustrate what we mean:

The first refers to the King, her hero—

"Throughout all the days of his mar-  
ried life, he had followed the ordinary  
routine of his business or pleasure with  
sacred a break—in winter to his country  
seat on the most southern coast of his  
southern land;—in spring to the  
capital;—in full summer to some fash-  
ionable bath or 'cure'; in autumn to  
different great houses for the purpose  
of shooting other people's game by the  
obsequious invitation;—and in the entire  
round he had never shown himself  
capable of much more than a flirtation  
with the prettiest or most pushing  
beauty or a daring ride on the latest  
invention for travelling at lightning  
speed."

The Marquis of Lutera was a heavy  
sleeper, and for some time had grown  
stouter than was compatible with the  
dignity of a Prime Minister. He had  
been defeated late years in one or  
two important measures; and his col-  
league, Carl Erouse, had, by gradual  
degrees, succeeded in worming himself  
into such close contact with the rest of  
the members of the Cabinet that he  
(Lutera) felt himself being edged out,  
not only from political 'deals' but from  
the profits pertaining thereto. So,  
growing indignant, as well as disgusted  
at the course affairs were taking, he had  
made up his mind to retire from office."

"To rise from a statesman to be  
Secretary of State augurs a certain  
amount of brain, though not necessarily  
of the highest quality; while it certainly  
betokens a good deal of dash and  
impudence. Carl Erouse, one of the  
most prominent among the political  
notabilities of Europe, had begun his  
career by small peddling transactions  
in iron and timber manufactures; he  
came of a very plebeian stock, and had  
received only a desultory kind of educa-  
tion, picked up here and there at cheap  
provincial schools. But he had a  
restless domineering spirit of ambition.  
In personal appearance he was not pre-  
possessing. Nature had branded him  
in her own special way—Trickster,  
for those who cared to search for her trade  
mark. He was tall and thin, with a  
narrow head and a deeply lined, close-  
shaven countenance."

One almost wonders what kind of  
social and religious world Marie Corelli  
would have were she capable of realiz-

ing her own ideal. She hurls her con-  
temptuous scorn at the existing order  
of things, and appears to despise, with  
deep-seated disgust, the life that is lived  
by Society. Dealing with the tendency  
among modern girls to indulge in atti-  
tudes, which used to be confined to  
young men, she says—

"Since the rage for masculine sports  
and masculine manners has taken hold  
of English girls, I am not at all disposed  
to defend them. They have, unhappily,  
lost all the soft grace and modesty for  
which their grandmothers were renown-  
ed, and one begins to remark that  
their very shapes are no longer feminine.  
The beautiful full bosoms, admired by  
Gainsborough and Romney, are replaced  
by unbecomingly flatness;—the feet and  
hands are growing large and awkward,  
instead of well-shaped, white and deli-  
cate—the skin is becoming coarse and  
rough of texture, and there is very little  
complexion to boast of, if we except  
the artificial make-up of the women of  
the town."

The authoress' aversion to the Roman  
Catholic Church is very well known,  
and here she slashes at it with unabated  
strength, and fury. Her King asks  
"Why do you associate his name—a  
messenger of Mother Church—with  
poison? Really, Sir, the connection is  
inexplicable unless it be the memory  
of a religious lesson-book given to me  
in my childhood. It was an illustrated  
treasure, and one picture showed me  
the Almighty, in the character of an  
old gentleman seated placidly on a cloud,  
smiling, while on the earth below, a  
priest, exactly resembling this Del-Fer-  
tis poured a spoonful of something—  
poison—or it might be boiling lead—  
down the throat of a heretic. I re-  
member it impressed me very much  
with the goodness of God." We have  
indicated the teachings which the  
writer has inculcated with masculine  
vigour. It remains to remark that,  
as in *Atton Locke* and *The Eternal  
City*, a socialism is here taught,  
which, as idealized, is not without its  
attractions. Her King at last captures  
the Revolutionary party, by disguising  
himself and joining their fraternity.  
Henceforth, these would-be assassins  
are transformed into the most passionate  
supporters of the throne, when its  
occupant has proved himself to be  
worthy of their regard. The characters  
of Gloria and Lotys—the former a  
wait from the sea-foam and the latter  
from the streets—are delineated with  
loving care. The authoress' propaganda  
will, we expect, in most places, fall on  
stony ground, yet cannot but be an  
influence in the formation of modern  
thought.

**New Medical Officer.**

Dr F. T. Key, M.B., who arrived  
from Colombo the other week, has been  
appointed Second Port Health Officer, with  
effect from 24th October.

**Malay Seamen.**

We understand (says the *Singapore  
Free Press*) that at present there is a great  
scarcity of Malay seamen in Singapore,  
large numbers of suitable men having been  
recently recruited for the Police Force.  
The difficulty seems to be accentuated by  
the fact that many vessels are discharging  
their lascar crews and their masters are  
endeavouring to engage Malay seamen in  
their place.

**An Old Resident Dead.**

Mr Albino du Silveira, an official of  
the Union Insurance Society of Canton,  
who spent many years of his life in Shang-  
hai and Hongkong, died yesterday at  
Macao, aged 79 years. A widower, Mr du  
Silveira was a Knight Commander of the  
Portuguese Order of Christ. His daughter  
is a Sister of Charity. The funeral took  
place at Macao this afternoon.

**Hongkong Volunteers.**

The following letter from Mr J. Cham-  
berlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies,  
appears in the *Government Gazette*:—

In view of the termination of the Corona-  
tion festivities and the departure of the  
Colonial troops, it becomes my duty to ex-  
press the pleasure afforded to H.M.  
Government by the presence of a Military  
Contingent from Hongkong to take part in  
the ceremonies.

The smartness, soldierly bearing and  
good behaviour of the Contingent was a  
matter for sincere congratulation.

His Majesty's Government are especially  
glad that it was found possible to prolong  
the visit beyond the unavoidably deferred  
date of the Coronation, as the representa-  
tion of the local forces of almost every por-  
tion of the Empire on that day undoubtedly  
added greatly to the interest of the  
spectacle.

His Majesty's Government trust that the  
members of the Contingent will carry back  
with them a pleasant recollection of their  
stay in this country on an ever memorable  
occasion.

**SORE AND SWOLLEN JOINTS.**

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**LOCAL AND GENERAL.**

**Notes by the Way.**  
This is All Saints Day.

A rice famine is feared in the Philip-  
pines.

The Nagasaki authorities are offering  
5 sen per rat.

The Palo Canton lighthouse is again in  
good working order.

Captain Chancellor (formerly in the  
Barbadoes) has arrived at Singapore to fill  
the vacancy of Assistant Superintendent of  
Police.

It is notified that no dog brought from  
Shanghai will be permitted to land in this  
Colony for a period of three months from  
this date.

If the Moros were only as wise as they  
are brave, there would be no need to in-  
troduce our civilization in Mindanao, says  
an American newspaper.

Certain portions of New Kowloon  
(Lan Tao Island) having been demarcated,  
land taxes will be levied as from 18th  
April, 1901. We hope the result will be  
beneficial to the public revenues. The  
arrears of taxes, if collected, ought to come  
in useful—say, for water works for the  
Colony.

The *Mercantile Guardian* says:—The  
state in this country of the late Mr  
Thomas Scott, of Singapore, is stated by a  
daily contemporary to be of the value of  
£4,180 7s. As Mr Scott was understood to  
be a very wealthy man it is difficult to  
credit this statement, unless indeed the  
testator had given large sums away in his  
lifetime or the amount mentioned above  
represents only his personal estate in Eng-  
land.

**The King's Birthday.**

The King's Birthday falling on Sun-  
day, the 9th inst., His Excellency the  
Governor has been pleased to direct that  
Monday, the 10th inst. shall be observed  
as a public holiday.

**Cholera in the Philippines.**

The Provincial cholera report for the  
thirty-four hours ending at eight a.m. on  
the 24th ult. was exceptionally small.  
Only thirteen towns reported at all, and  
these had 72 cases and 106 deaths. Manila  
only reported two cases. The total figures  
reported to this date are 97,323 cases and  
63,670 deaths, with mortality of 65 per  
cent.

**Hemp Culture.**

Under the direction of Professor Lam-  
son-Scribner, the Bureau of Agriculture is  
preparing reports for distribution, of the  
commercial fibres of the Philippine Islands,  
in which connection a special study is being  
made of abaca (Manila hemp). These re-  
ports will show that 62 per cent of the  
exports of Manila is hemp. During eight  
months ended in August, 1900, the total  
value of export hemp was \$10,435,508  
(gold). For the fiscal year 1901, the export  
value was valued at \$14,453,110 (gold). This  
is sufficient to convince those in charge of  
the Bureau of Agriculture that hemp culture  
properly prosecuted will result in immense  
returns. The intention of the bureau is to  
adopt methods of instruction for the natives  
and other growers which will tend to  
develop the agricultural resources of the is-  
lands, and as the fibres of the archipelago  
are considered the most important, the  
first move is being made in the direction of  
their development.

**Chinese for the Philippines.**

The plan to place control of immigra-  
tion in the hands of the Philippines Com-  
mission has been renewed, at Washington  
(says the *Manila Times*), and there is a  
possibility of its adoption in a carefully  
modified form. It is proposed to remove  
the iron-clad restriction against Chinese,  
which now exists, and clothe the commis-  
sion with power to regulate the admission  
of coolie labor under contract. The plan  
as outlined proposes that Chinese shall be  
admitted as laborers under a system pro-  
viding that bonds shall be given by the  
contractors, that there shall be a scheme  
of identification for each individual laborer,  
and that every contract laborer shall return  
to China at the end of a specified time.  
The whole question is to be placed before  
congress at the forthcoming session, and  
there is some hope that favorable action  
will be taken upon it. A similar proposal  
was made some months ago when Governor  
Taft was in Washington and the present  
Philippines bill was being formulated, but  
the opposition to it was so great that it was  
abandoned. Since that, there has been a  
clearer and greater appreciation of industrial  
conditions throughout the Philippines and  
when the plan is suggested again it will  
have a larger number of supporters. It is  
believed that such careful and complete  
safeguards can be placed around the admis-  
sion and subsequent deportation of Chinese  
laborers that the radical opponents of the  
plan will be satisfied.

**MRS** Root has much pleasure in testifi-  
ing to the good received by her  
through taking Stearns' Wine of Cod Liver  
Oil. She has also recommended it to  
several friends.

Wholesale from A. S. Watson & Co.,  
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**LOCAL AND GENERAL.**

**The Rating Ordinance.**

His Majesty the King has not been  
advised to exercise his power of disal-  
lowance with respect to Ordinance No 28 of  
1902 entitled "An Ordinance to amend the  
Rating Ordinance, 1901."

**New Fees.**

The new scale of fees under Table C  
in the Schedule of The Merchant Shipping  
Consolidation Ordinance, 1891, is published  
in the *Government Gazette*. This refers to  
surveys for various licences.

**Not to Marry.**

A New York telegram, dated 24th ult.,  
says:—The report that Miss Alice Roose-  
velt, daughter of the President, will wed  
Mr John Greenway, ex-lieutenant of the  
Rough Riders, is officially denied.

**Private Piers.**

The owners of piers demolished under  
the Praya Reclamation Ordinance, 1889,  
are called upon to give notice of their in-  
tention to re-erect, submitting proofs of  
their title, before 1st March, 1903, after  
which date no claims will be considered,  
and the D.P.W. will dispose of the  
available pier sites.

**Feeding the U.S. Army.**

The report of the Secretary of War  
shows that the cost of feeding the United  
States army during the fiscal year ending  
June 30, was \$9,500,000 (gold). The bulk  
of this was expended on the army in the  
Philippines. The experiments to produce  
an emergency ration suitable for use in the  
Philippines are progressing satisfactorily.

**The Rice Crop in Fokien.**

The *Fookien Echo* says:—The reports  
coming in from the surrounding country  
districts agree all too closely about the  
lamentable state of the crops through-  
out want of rain. The best that  
can be hoped for, even if rain  
comes now, is that one-third of a normal  
yield might be obtained, while if the  
drought continues there will be nothing  
left to gather in.

**Union Church Literary Club.**

There was a good attendance in the  
Union Church Hall last night, in connec-  
tion with the Literary Club, when a discus-  
sion on "The effect of Christianity on  
Civilization" took place. The Rev C. H.  
Hickling presided. Lieutenant A. J.  
Sutor, M.A., Royal Artillery, opened the  
discussion with a most admirable paper,  
and those who took part in the discussion  
were Rev T. W. Pearce, Rev C. H. Hick-  
ling, Dr J. C. Thomson and Mr T. H.  
Roid. On the motion of Mr W. D. Braid-  
wood, a hearty vote of thanks was accorded  
to Lieut. Sutor for his paper.

**A Gloomy Outlook.**

The prophecies in old Moore's almanack  
for 1903 are pretty awful (says the *Fookien  
Echo*), but for coming trouble they pale  
before the predictions of some of the  
Chinese here. The worst part of it is that  
these latter have solid foundations. The  
*lychee tree* has been twice in blossom! Such  
a thing has not happened for two hundred  
years, and it is well known that this fore-  
bodes dreadful disaster in the near  
future to the Empire, may be to the whole  
world. The form of the coming trouble must  
not be repeated; suffice it to say that it is far  
more serious than any of old Moore's  
prophecies. It was also said that the late  
eclipse of the moon was not without its  
significance, as we shall see before long.

**Janet Waldorf Season.**

The re-appearance of Miss Janet Wal-  
dorf after an absence of two years, when  
the present management have the pleasure  
of introducing the charming young actress  
in a number of new and striking roles, can  
be regarded as a notable dramatic event.  
The Melbourne and Sydney audiences re-  
spected Miss Waldorf a most enthusiastic  
reception at each performance there, which  
has sufficed to augment that artist's ex-  
perience and popularity. The management  
will introduce several plays entirely new to  
Hongkong audiences, and it is their inten-  
tion to make frequent changes of pro-  
gramme. The initial performance will be  
the powerful, spectacular, military drama  
"A Royal Divorce," which will most prob-  
ably be followed by "Magna." In each  
instance, the plays will be mounted with  
every attention to detail as regards scenery,  
costumes and accessories. The Company is  
larger than is usually organized for the  
Orient, but the repertoire requires strong  
and large casts of characters. A special  
feature of the Company is a ballet of light,  
young and fascinating ladies for the pur-  
pose of performing a number of graceful  
dances and minutes. The incidental music,  
for which an efficient orchestra is being  
selected, will be of an exceptional order.  
The opening night is Monday, November  
17, and the box plan will be on view at the  
Robinson Piano Co. on Monday next, the  
10th inst. The tariff is as usual, and ar-  
rangements have been completed for tram  
and ferry service after each performance.

**NO OPIUM IN CHAMBERLAIN'S  
COUGH REMEDY.**

MANY cough cures contain opium. The  
effect of this drug is to diminish  
secretion of the mucus, and the relief  
afforded is only temporary. As soon as  
the effect of the opium passes off, the  
malady returns in a more severe form.  
The system is also weakened and rendered  
more susceptible to cold. Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy does not contain opium in  
any form. It affords relief and leaves the  
system in a healthy condition. It always  
cures and cures quickly. For sale by All  
Dealers; WATKINS Ltd., General Agents.

**CLARK'S B 41 PILLS** are warranted  
to cure in  
other sex, all acquired or constitutional Dis-  
charges from the Urinary Organs, Gleet and  
Taint in the back. Free from Mercury, Estab-  
lished upwards of 30 years. In boxes 4d.  
each, of All Chemists and Patent Medicine  
Vendors throughout the World. Proprietors  
THE LINDSAY AND MURRAY CHEMISTS LTD.,  
GLASGOW, LONDON, ENGLAND.

**LOCAL AND GENERAL.**

**A Fatal Pipe.**

A Chinaman whilst at work on a  
building at Taikoo, yesterday, lost his  
balance and fell upon the point of a pipe  
which penetrated his abdomen. He was  
killed on the spot.

**Hongkong Christian Union.**

The usual prayer meeting will be held  
on Monday, at 5.15 p.m., in the room of  
the Union, 13 Beconsfield Arcade. The  
Rev H. E. Anderson will preside. All are  
cordially invited.

**From Dice to Death.**

Some Chinese were gambling in a  
house at West Point, yesterday, when an  
alarm was raised that the police were com-  
ing. There was an immediate exodus, the  
gamblers scattering like so much chaff  
under a stiff breeze. One Chinaman mis-  
ed his footing in the rush for precedence,  
and falling from an upper storey to the  
ground floor was killed on the spot.

**Vital Statistics.**

During the month of September, the  
death-rate in the Colony was 21.6 per  
1000—the total number of deaths being  
555. In the European civil population the  
death-rate was 28.1 per 1000 per annum.  
There were 5 deaths from plague, 30 from  
malaria fever (3 in the European civil  
community and 2 in the army), and 2 from  
typhoid fever. There were 18 deaths in  
the Italian Convent and 109 in L'Asile  
de la Ste. Enfance.

**Swimming Race.**

A two hundred yards swimming race  
took place at Kowloon yesterday, at the  
V. R. C. enclosure, for a handsome silver  
cup presented by a local merchant. The  
competitors were C. J. Cooke, A. Hum-  
phreys and N. H. Alves, who met in a race  
at the Aquatic Sports when N. H. Alves  
was successful. A foul occurred then be-  
tween Cooke and Humphreys, and it was  
felt at the time that an opportunity  
should be given Humphreys and Cooke  
to show their true form. On going  
off last night, Alves, who has been in ex-  
cellent form for a couple of years, led the  
way at a hot pace. Cooke stuck to him,<







## Shipping.

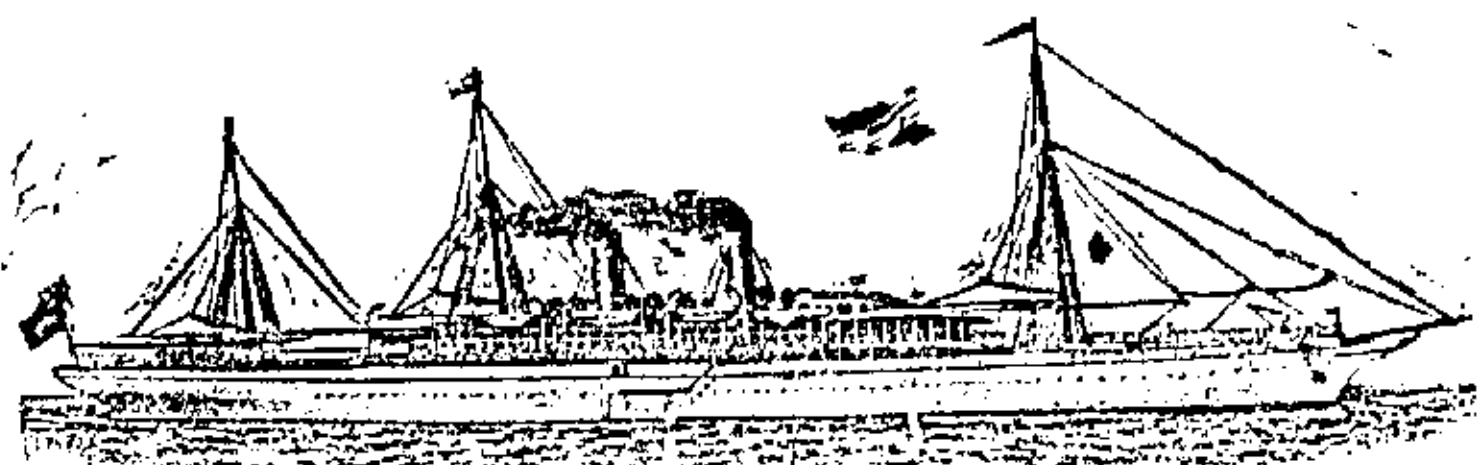
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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.  
SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.			
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND PENANG.			
S.S. <i>Suzanna</i>	Capt. JAEGER	8th November, 1902	Freight.
FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.			
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO.			
S.S. <i>Sorbia</i>	Capt. BREHMER	18th November, 1902	Freight.
FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.			
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND PENANG.			
S.S. <i>Marburg</i>	Capt. NIEDERMEYER	3rd December, 1902	Freight.
FOR HAVRE AND HAMBURG.			
CALLING AT SINGAPORE AND COLOMBO.			
S.S. <i>Sterea</i>	Capt. BORCH	17th December, 1902	Freight.

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SAFETY—SPEED—PUNCTUALITY.Twin Screw steamships—6,000 Tons—10,000 Horse power—Speed 19 knots.  
Saving 3 to 7 days across the Pacific.

## PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

(Subject to Alteration.)  
R.M.S. *EMPEROR OF INDIA*, Comdr. O. P. MARSHALL, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, Nov. 19.  
R.M.S. *TARTAR*, Comdr. E. BETHAM, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, Dec. 3.  
R.M.S. *EMPEROR OF JAPAN*, Comdr. H. PYLES, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, Dec. 17.  
R.M.S. *ATHLETIC*, Comdr. H. MOWATT, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, Dec. 31.  
R.M.S. *EMPEROR OF CHINA*, Comdr. R. ARCHIBALD, R.N.R. WEDNESDAY, Jan. 14.

THE magnificent TWIN-SCREW STEAMSHIPS of this Line pass through the famous INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and usually make the voyage YOKOHAMA TO VANCOUVER (B.C.) in 12 DAYS, saving THREE DAYS to a WEEK in the Trans-Pacific journey, and make connection at Vancouver with the PALATIAL OVERLAND TRAINS of the CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY, which leave daily, and cross the Continent FROM THE PACIFIC TO THE ATLANTIC WITHOUT CHANGE. Close connection is made at Montreal, Quebec, Halifax, New York and Boston with all Trans-Atlantic Lines, of which passengers to Great Britain and the Continent are given choice of.

Passengers booked through to all principal points and AROUND THE WORLD. Return tickets at various points at reduced rates. Good for 4, 6, 9 and 12 months. SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of China and Japan Governments.

The attractive features of this Company's route embrace its PALATIAL STEAMSHIPS, (second to none in the world), the LUXURANCE OF ITS TRANS-CONTINENTAL TRAINS (the Company having received the highest award for same at recent Chicago World Exhibition) and the diversity of MAGNIFICENT MOUNTAIN AND LAKE SCENERY through which the Railway passes.

THE DINING CARS AND MOUNTAIN HOTELS of this route are owned and operated by the Company, and their appointments and Cuisine are unequalled.

## Special Extra Service.

The Company's Extra Steamships "ATHLETIC" and "TARTAR" have now been placed on the Line between CHINA AND JAPAN PORTS AND VANCOUVER, as additional sailings.

In addition to the excellent First Saloon Passenger accommodation, the "ATHLETIC" takes 2nd Cabin Passengers with accommodation unequalled on the Pacific, and also Steerage. The "TARTAR" takes First Class and Steerage Passengers only. The run is usually made between YOKOHAMA AND VANCOUVER in 14 Days.

For further information, Maps, Guides, Books, Rates of Freight and Passage, apply to  
D. E. BROWN, General Agent,  
Pender Street.PORTLAND AND ASIATIC  
STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, VIA SHANGHAI, INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, MOJI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA; FOR PORTLAND, OREGON, SEA OF JAPAN, MOJI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA; FOR PORTLAND, OREGON, IN CONNECTION WITH THE OREGON RAILROAD &amp; NAVIGATION CO.

Steamship.	Tons.	Captain.	Hongkong.
INDRAPURA	4899	A. E. Hollingsworth	November 14, 1902
INDRASAMHA	5197	R. P. Craven	December 14, 1902
INDRAVALLI	4899	W. E. Craven	January 14, 1903

Through Bills of Lading issued to Pacific Coast Points and all Eastern, Canadian and United States Ports. For through rates of Freight, and further information, communicate with or apply to

## PORTLAND &amp; ASIATIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

Hongkong, 30th October, 1902.

## NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.)

## PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Steamers.	Destinations.	Sailing Dates.
KAGA MARU, J. W. EASTMAN	VICTORIA, B.C., and SEATTLE, U.S.A., Via SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	TUESDAY, 4th Nov., at 4 p.m.
KAGOSHIMA MARU, K. Kono	KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	TUESDAY, 4th Nov., at noon.
SADO MARU, W. THOMPSON	NAGASAKI and KOBE.	MONDAY, 3rd Nov., at 4 p.m.
HITACHI MARU, J. CAMPBELL	MARSEILLES, LONDON, and ANTWERP, Via SINGAPORE, PEN- ANG, COLOMBO and PORT SAID.	SATURDAY, 15th Nov., at Daylight.
KAWACHI MARU, J. S. THOMPSON	KOBE and YOKOHAMA.	FRIDAY, 21st Nov., at Daylight.
KASUGA MARU, H. FRANK	SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, Via THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNS- VILLE and DARWIN.	SATURDAY, 29th Nov., at Noon.

Through Passenger Tickets issued to the Principal Cities in the United States, Canada, and Europe, in connection with the Great Northern Railway and Atlantic Steamers. Round-the-World Tickets also issued. Between Moji and Kobe, 1st and 2nd Class Through Passengers have the option of travelling by the Sanyo Railway.

For further information as to Freight, Passage, Sailings, &amp;c., apply at the Company's Local Branch Office in Prince's Buildings, First Floor, Chater Road.

A. S. Mihara, Manager.

Hongkong, November 1, 1902.

## Shipping.

## OCEAN STEAM SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

OUTWARDS.		
FROM	STEAMERS	DATE
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	TANTALUS	5th November.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	ALCIBIOUS	13th November.
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	PELUS	21st December.

The S. S. TANTALUS left Singapore on the 31st inst. a.m., and is expected here on the 5th November.

HOMEWARDS.		
FOR	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
LONDON	MENELAUS	11th November.
LIVERPOOL DIRECT	DECCALION	20th November.
LONDON	ADAMANTION	25th November.
LONDON	TANTALUS	9th December.
LIVERPOOL DIRECT	ALCIBIOUS	20th December.

Taking Cargo at London Rates. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, November 1, 1902.

CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION  
COMPANY, LIMITED.

OUTWARDS.		
FROM	STEAMERS	DATE
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	MOYNE	27th November
GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL	DOOPACK	10th December.

LIVERPOOL DIRECT. (Taking Cargo at London Rates.) For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, November 1, 1902.

## TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE.

OUTWARDS.		
FROM	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
VICTORIA, SEATTLE, TACOMA, and all PACIFIC COAST PORTS, VIA NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA	TENKAI MOYNE	21st November. 29th "

For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD &amp; SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, November 1, 1902.

## CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

OUTWARDS.		
FROM	STEAMERS	TO SAIL
NEWCHOWANG	NANCHANG	5th November.
TIENTSIN	KWEIYANG	12th November.
THURSDAY ISLAND, COOK TOWN, CAIRNS, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MEL- BOURNE	TSINAN	15th November.

\* The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by these Steamers, which are fitted throughout with Electric Light. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for all New Zealand and other Australian Ports.

See Special Advertisement.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

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Hongkong, November 1, 1902.

## IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE.  
STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID  
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LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON  
AND SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.STEAMERS WILL CALL AT GIBRALTAR AND AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND  
PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.N.B.—Cargo can be taken on THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR THE PRINCIPAL PLACES  
IN RUSSIA.

## PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Steamers.	Sailing Dates.
SACHSEN	WEDNESDAY, 12th November.
GERA	WEDNESDAY, 26th November.
KLAUSCHOU	WEDNESDAY, 10th December.
BAYERN	WEDNESDAY, 24th December.
KONIG ALBERT	WEDNESDAY, 7th Jan., 1903.
PRINZESS HELENE	WEDNESDAY, 21st Jan., 1903.
PREUSSEN	WEDNESDAY, 4th Feb., 1903.
HAMBURG	WEDNESDAY, 18th Feb., 1903.
HAMBURG	WEDNESDAY, 4th March, 1903.

\* Steamers of the Hamburg-Amerika Linie.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of November, 1902, at Noon, the Steamship  
SACHSEN, of the HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE, Captain W. FRANK, with  
MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port as above,  
calling at NAPLES and GENOA.Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, on Monday, the 10th November, Cargo  
and Specie will be received on Board until 5 p.m. on Tuesday, the 11th Nov.,  
and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon on Tuesday, the 11th Nov.Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than  
25 lbs. and Parcels should not exceed 7 feet Cubic in Measurement.The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardesses.  
Lunch can be washed on board.

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Melchers &amp; Co., Agents.

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Steamers.	Tons.	Captains.	1902.
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DUKE OF FIFE	3821	J. S. Cox	Nov. 4.
SEAWMUT	9606	W. M. Smith	Nov. 7.
SYRA	2811	A. Dixon	Nov. 15.
	4417		Nov. 25.

Steamers marked (\*) have no passenger accommodation.

The attention of passengers is directed to the very cheap rates offered by this Line  
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Special rates allowed to members of Government Services.

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For further information as to Freight, or Passage, Apply to

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Hongkong, October 30, 1902.

## Shipping.

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP  
NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATE

named:	STEAMSHIP	CAPTAIN	DATE.
FOR			
YMA Via SHAL			About 3rd Nov.
MOJI AND KOBE, Shanghai	E. SPICER, R.N.R.		Noon, 8th Nov.
LONDON, &c.	CHUAN * C. L. DANIEL		About 8th Nov.
SHANGHAI, &c.	PARMATTIA	F. J. COX	Noon, 14th Nov.
MARSEILLES AND			
LONDON	Jara	G. W. GORDON, R.N.R.	Noon, 14th Nov.

\* See Special Advertisement.

For Freight or passage, and further Particulars, apply to

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

P. &amp; O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, October 27, 1902.

## OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG—SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

For	STEAMER	LEAVING
TAMSAI, Via SWATOW	DAIGI MARU	SUNDAY, 2nd
AND AMOI	T. W. GROVES	November
FOOCHOW, Via SWATOW	ANPING MARU	WEDNESDAY, 5th
AND AMOI	K. SENGU	November
TAMSAI, Via SWATOW	DALIN MARU	SUNDAY, 9th
AND AMOI	T. OGATA	November
ANPING, Via SWATOW	MAIDZU MARU	WEDNESDAY, 12th
AND AMOI	T. SATO	November

The Co.'s new Steamers are specially designed for the coast trade of South  
China and Formosa, and are fitted with modern improvements. Excellent accom-  
modation is provided for 1st class passengers, and a duly qualified Doctor is carried.All Steamers carry the Imperial Japanese Mail, subject to periodical inspection  
by the Government Marine Surveyors, and are registered at the highest at Lloyd's.Steamers will go alongside the Co.'s Pontoon at the Customs water-front premises  
at Tamsui to land all Passengers and cargo.For Freight, Passage, and further information apply at the Co.'s local Branch  
Office, at No. 2, Des Vaux Road Central.

## T. ARIMA.

MANAGER.

Hongkong, October 30, 1902.

CHINA NAVIGATION  
CO., LIMITED.

Hongkong to SYDNEY and

MELBOURNE via usual Aus-  
tralian Ports of Call.Average length of voyage to  
Sydney 20 DAYS.Saloon passengers carried at SPECIALLY  
REDUCED RATES, particulars of  
which can be obtained on applica-  
tion to the Undersigned.

## NEXT SAILINGS.

"TSINAN" leaves on 15th Nov.  
"CHANGSHA" " " 20th Dec.  
"CHANGSHA" " " 29th Dec.  
"YAUWAN" " " 20th Jan.Superior accommodation amidships.  
Electric Light throughout—Fitted with  
Refrigerators which ensure a fresh supply  
of ice and provisions during the entire  
voyage—Duly qualified European Surgeon  
carried.BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents, CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

Hongkong, October 25, 1902.

## TOYO KISEN KAISHA

(ORIENTAL S. S. CO.)

REGULAR SERVICE BETWEEN HONGKONG  
AND MANILA.THE Company's Well-known Steamship  
CAPTAIN TATE, will be despatched hence  
for MANILA, on TUESDAY, the 11th  
November, at 3 p.m.Magnificent Accommodation. Comfort-  
able Cabins. Excellent Table. Unrivalled  
Speed. Electric Light. Doctor and  
Stewardess Carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA,  
Agents,  
Prince's Buildings, 1st Floor.

Hongkong, October 31, 1902.

## NOTICE.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA,

COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, EGYPT,

MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN

AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON,

HAVRE, BORDEAUX;

Also

PORTS OF BRAZIL &amp; RIVER

PLATE.

ON MONDAY, the 3rd Nov., at 1 p.m.,  
the Co.'s Steamship *FRANCOIS*  
SIMONS, Captain J. TREVY FRANK, with  
MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and  
CARGO, will leave this Port for MAR-  
SEILLES, Via BOMBAY.This Steamer connects at Colombo with  
the S.S. *Australien*, which vessel takes  
on her Passengers and Mails, leaving that  
port on the 18th November direct to Suez,  
Port Said and Marseilles.Cargo and Specie will be registered for  
London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-  
cepted in transit through Marseilles for the  
principal Places of Europe.Shipping Orders will be granted till  
Noon. Cargo will be received on board  
until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3  
p.m. on the 2nd Nov., 1902. (Parcels are  
not to be sent on board; they must be left  
at the Agency's Office.)Contents and Value of Packages are re-  
quired.For further particulars, apply at the  
Company's Office.G. DE CHAMPEAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, October 21, 1902.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAM-  
SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(CALLING AT TROOK, PORT DARWIN, and  
QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through  
Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND,  
TASMANIA, &c.)

THE Steamship

CAPTAIN P. T. HEWITT, will be despatched  
as above on THURSDAY, the 20th  
November, at 4 p.m.This well-known Steamer is specially fitted  
for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating  
Chamber which ensures the supply of Fresh  
Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage.The Steamer is installed throughout with  
Electric Light.A Stewardess and a duly-qualified Sur-  
geon are on board.To assure the additional comfort  
of passengers the steamers of the Company  
have electric fans fitted in staterooms.

For Freight and Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, October 24, 1902.

STEAM FOR BALTIMORE AND  
NEW YORK.THE French Steamer, CHARLES TIBERGHIEN,  
will be despatched for the above ports on  
or about 5th November.For Freight, apply to  
ARNOLD, KARBERG & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, October 14, 1902.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION  
COMPANY, LIMITED.FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND  
CALCUTTA.THE Company's Steamship  
CAPTAIN BULLER, will be despatched as  
above on THURSDAY, the 6th November,  
at Noon.For Freight or Passage, apply to  
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, October 31, 1902.

## Shipping.

FOR SHANGHAI &amp; VLADIVOSTOK.

THE H. A. L. Steamship  
ALEXIA,  
Captain SCHONFELD, will be despatched  
for the



## NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FROM CALCUTTA, BENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Co's Steamship Kumang having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. the 3rd Nov. will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Godowns at East Point.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, October 31, 1902. 2217

BARBER LINE OF STEAMERS.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. CROYDON.  
FROM NEW YORK, STRAITS AND MANILA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 1st prox., will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 4th prox., or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 1st prox., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, October 25, 1902. 2136

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP DUKE OF FIFE.  
FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND SHANGHAI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

DODWELL & Co., Ltd., Agents.

Hongkong, October 29, 1902. 2201

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamer CELA, OF THE NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasures and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, to-day.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after 9th Nov., will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Thursday, the 6th Nov., at 9.30 a.m. and reach us before the 9th Nov., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELBOURNE & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, October 30, 1902. 2207

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YUEN KEE CO.

COAL MERCHANTS,  
No. 17, CHIU LOONG STREET,  
(Near Messrs. LANE, CLAWFORD & Co.)  
HONG KONG,  
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HONGKONG, June 13, 1902. 1264

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Hongkong, January 4, 1902. 25

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F. KIENE, Hongkong Manager.

EQUITABLE LIFE.

14, Des Voeux Road.

Hongkong, October 21, 1902. 1265

## UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY.

(Instituted in the Reign of Queen Anne A.D. 1714.)

CAPITAL FULLY SUBSCRIBED, £450,000.

CAPITAL PAID UP, £180,000.

TOTAL INVESTED FUNDS EXCEPT £2,450,044.

TOTAL ANNUAL INCOME, £1,103,883.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS of the above Society in Hongkong, are prepared to issue POLICIES against FIRE on the usual terms.

HARRY WICKING & Co.,

Praya Central.

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## NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

TOTAL FUNDS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1901, £15,722,693.

Authorised Capital, £3,000,000 0 0

Subscribed Capital, £2,750,000 0 0

Paid-up Capital, £2,687,500 0 0

Fire Funds, £2,685,548 5 2

HAVING been appointed AGENTS of the above Company, we are prepared to accept EUROPEAN AND CHINESE RISKS at Current Rates.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, July 2, 1902. 1537

## SALAMANDER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company are prepared to accept RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

HUTZ, S. JACOB & Co.,

Agents.

Hongkong, March 31, 1900. 738

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## BANKS.

## THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,500,000

RESERVE FUND, £1,125,000

PAID UP CAPITAL, £500,000

RESERVE FUND, £500,000

INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 12 Months, 4%

" 6 " 3%

" 3 " 2%

EVAN ORMISTON, Acting Manager.

Hongkong, April 1, 1902. 234

## HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £10,000,000

RESERVE FUND, £10,000,000

SILVER RESERVE, £4,750,000

RESERVE LIABILITIES, £14,750,000

PROPRIETORS, £10,000,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS:—

Hon. J. S. WATSON, Chairman.

A. HAYES, Esq., Deputy Chairman.

G. B. BLOCH, Esq., D. Meyer, Esq.,

Hon. C. W. DICKSON, Esq., J. Raymond, Esq.,

E. Goetz, Esq., H. Schmitt, Esq.,

G. H. M. MURRAY, Esq., N. A. Stobbs, Esq.,

Esq., H. K. Tomkins, Esq.,

CHIEF MANAGER:—

Hongkong—J. R. M. SMITH,

Shanghai—H. M. BEVIS,

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY BANKING CO., LTD.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—

For 3 months 2½ per cent. per annum.

" 6 " 3 " "

" 12 " 4 " "

J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, September 15, 1902. 366

## HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 3½ PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, J. R. M. SMITH, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 1, 1900. 1517

## THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANK, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1880.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED, Yen 24,000,000

CAPITAL PAID-UP, " 18,000,000

CAPITAL UNPAID, " 6,000,000

RESERVE FUND, " 8,910,000

HEAD OFFICE—YOKOHAMA.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:—

TOKYO, KOBE, NAGASAKI,

LONDON, LYONS, NEW YORK,

SAN FRANCISCO, HONGKONG, BOMBAY,

SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, NEWCHANG,

PEKING.

LONDON BANKERS:—

The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited,

Par's Bank, Limited,

The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.

HONGKONG BRANCH—Interest allowed.

On Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the daily balance.

On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per annum.

On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4% per annum.

On fixed deposits for 3 months, 3% per annum.

TARO HODSUMI, Manager.

Hongkong, October 31, 1902. 689

## IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.

ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE ON THE 12th NOVEMBER, 1896.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, Tls. 5,000,000

PAID-UP CAPITAL, " 2,500,000

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES:—

CANTON, PEKING, PENANG,

CHUNGKING, SINGAPORE,

CHONGKING, TIENTSIN,

HANKOW.

THE BANK PURCHASES and receives for Collection Bills of Exchange drawn on the above places, and Sells Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers Payable at its Branches and Agencies.

HONGKONG BRANCH. Advances made on approved securities. Bills Discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily Balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 3 Months, 3%.

" 6 " 4%.

" 12 " 5%.

E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

Hongkong, January 18, 1901. 1070

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL, £1,000,000.

PAID UP CAPITAL, £324,374.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Board of Directors.

CHAN KUT SHAN, Esq., G. W. SWAN, Esq.,

CHOW TUNG SHANG, Esq., JULIUS FOCKE, Esq.,

Esq., Esq.,

Chief Manager:—

Geo. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 months Fixed ... 5%.

Hongkong, May 3, 1901. 117

## BANKS.

## DEUTSCH-ASIATISCHE BANK.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, Shanghai Tls. 5,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE: SHANGHAI.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS: BERLIN.

BRANCHES:—

BERLIN, CALCUTTA, HANKOW, TIENTSIN, TUNGTAU (KIATSCHOU).

LONDON BANKERS:—

Messrs N. M. Rothschild & Sons,

The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.

Deutsche Bank (Berlin), London Agency

Direction der Disconto Gesellschaft.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts.

Deposits received on terms which may be learnt on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

H. FIGGE, Manager.

Hongkong, October 6, 1902. 298

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11. Jardine's Wharf.

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gg, Acting Director.

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